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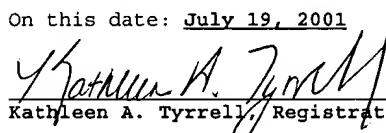
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Monitoring, Staging, Imaging and  
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Sir:

**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS  
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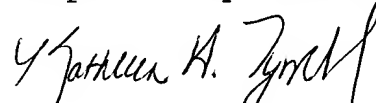
In response to the "Notification to Comply With Requirements  
for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or  
Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures" dated **May 22, 2001**, a response  
to which is due **July 22, 2001**, enclosed herewith is:

( ) Amendment under 1.825;

- (XX) Statement to Support Filing and Submission in Accordance with 37 CFR §§ 1.821 through 1.825;
- ( ) Substitute pages of the Sequence Listing;
- (XX) Substitute copy of the computer readable form of the Sequence Listing;
- (XX) Copy of Notification to Comply With Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures;
- ( ) Petition for Extension of Time;
- ( ) Other.

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Respectfully submitted,



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